# ST. JOHN BOSCO CATHOLIC SCHOOL SCHOOL ADVISORY BOARD MEETING MINUTES Tuesday, November 26, 2024

Time: 6pm - 7:00pm

Location: Priest Sacristy – St. Benedict Catholic Church

## Voting Board Members:

Marianne Biegler (MB), President, Chair

Cindy Casaus (CC), Vice President

Chad Stallings (CS)

Erin Gonzales (EG) (Excused)

John Naset (JN)

Laura Underwood (LU)

Marc Rivas (MR)

Maryola Fabilena (MF)

Moti Salloum (MS) (Excused)

#### Ex-officio Non-Voting Board Members:

Fr. James Aboyi (JA), Pastoral Administrator

Jamie Bescak (JB), Principal, Administrative Officer

Rachel Barone (RB), Faculty Representative (Excused)

Hogan Macdonald, STREAM Teacher/IT Director

Marilyn Johnston (MJ) Parish Council Representative

Krissy Bileski (KB) Preschool Director (Excused)

# **Opening Prayer & Reflection**

Opening prayer given by CS

#### **Roll Call**

Roll call by Acting Secretary Laura Underwood.

7 voting members present. Quorum established.

#### Call to Order & Welcome

Meeting Called to Order at 6:03 pm by President, Marianne Biegler.

Approved minutes from 10/29 meeting

#### **Parish Assignments**

Most of us attended masses to promote SJB Open House. Next event is Catholic Schools Week and we will need to attend masses Jan 25-26. We need to schedule with parishes. Pick up flyers and more balloons.

## **Principal's Report**

- Principal Message will go out tomorrow. Iowa Testing results will be reported. Every grade
- level is 1-2 grades above Diocessean average. We have doubled our Running with Rosco goal -
- \$47k!!!
- 20 families attended the open house and 3 families are ready to enroll. We have 35 new applicants for next year.

 4.9% increase in tuition for next year to cover salaries and increased costs in health benefits. It is also towards operations of school. Next year tuition will be about \$7502/year (roughly \$300 increase).

# Pastor's Report (JA)

- New parish manager (Agustin) will start next week
- Audio tech position has been offered waiting on acceptance
- We need to start the new year in a very positive way. We are leaders in our community.
- Senior living facility press release is out. Wait list is out. Construction starts in April 2025.
- Jan 20th is the anniversary of church dedication. Bishop will be here to celebrate
- June 7th and 8th Deacon O'Connor will be ordained as a priest. We will have a reception at SJB.
- 7th and 8th graders cut angels for giving tree. Church sends a big thank you for help

# **Closing Prayer**

Closing prayer given by MB.

# Adjournment

Meeting adjourned by MB at 7:10pm.